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MEMORANDUM

October 11, 2007

TO: The Commission

THROUGH: Patrina M. Clark *mk*
Staff Director

FROM: John D. Gibson *JDG*
Chief Compliance Officer

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Director, ADR Office

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SUBJECT: ADR 399 Patrick Murphy for Congress and Vanya Tyrrell, Treasurer,
Recommendation to Approve Settlement Agreement

RESOLUTION TERMS: Hire experienced compliance specialist; develop a
compliance manual; and pay a civil penalty of \$4,000
(amount in dispute \$112,171.06)

Attached for your review is a signed negotiated ADR Settlement Agreement pertaining to
ADR 399 (RR 07L-15). This case was received on May 22, 2007, and was assigned to the
ADR Office on June 20, 2007.

SUMMARY: The Reports Analysis Division referred Patrick Murphy for Congress
and Vanya Tyrrell, Treasurer (Respondents) for failing to make a complete
disclosure of disbursements on their 2006 12 Day Pre-General Report. Respondents
filed two amended 2006 12 Day Pre-General Reports that disclosed additional
disbursements totaling \$109,152.33 on the first amendment, and \$3,018.73 on the
second amendment; for an aggregate of \$112,171.06 in additional disbursements.

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Respondents acknowledge inadvertent omissions. As soon as Respondents determined there were omissions, however, they filed the amended 2006 12 Day Pre-General Reports to correct the record.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Approve the attached settlement agreement of Patrick Murphy for Congress and Vanya Tyrrell, Treasurer.
2. Approve the appropriate letters.
3. Close the file on this matter.